

# MY JOURNEY THOURGH SOUTH AFRICA



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# SOUTH AFRICA 2010 SOCCER WORLD CUP STADIUM

TODAY I VISITED "SOCCER CITY" WHICH WAS THE SITE OF THE 2010 WORLD CUP IN JOHANESBURG. THE 2010 WORLD CUP WAS IN SOUTH AFRICA LAST YEAR SO I THINK I'M TOO LATE TO GO SEE TEAMS PLAY. THIS YEAR THE HOME TEAM SOUTH AFRICA DID WELL THEY WON 1 GAME AND LOSS 1 GAME AND TIED A TEAM. I LIKE TO WATCH SOCCER AND I SAW THEIR FIRST GAME AND I LIKED THE SPEECH THAT NELSON MANDELA GAVE BEFORE THE GAME STARTED AGAINST MEXICO, EVERYONE WAS CHANTING THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL ANTHEM.



# THE NATIONAL WOMEN'S MEMORIAL

TODAY I WENT TO GO SEE THE NATIONAL WOMEN'S MEMORIAL WHICH STANDS 37m TALL, IN THE TOWN OF FREE STATE, BLOEFONTEIN. THIS MEMORIAL WAS COMMEMORATED TO ALL THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN KILLED DURING WARS OR ILL DURING WARS. PRESIDENT STEYN CAME UP WITH THE IDEA TO COMMEMORATE IT. 26,000 WOMEN AND CHILDREN DIED DURING THE BOER WAR.





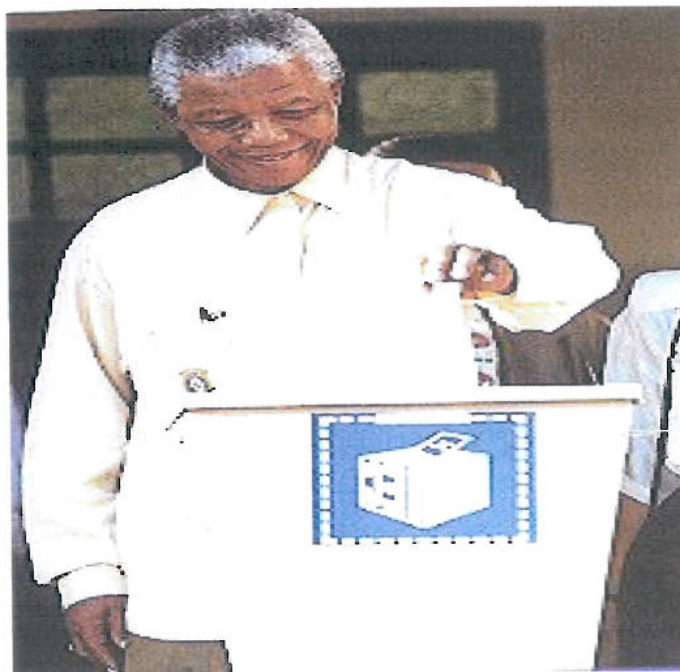
# BOBOTIE A CAPE TOWN ORINGINAL CUISINE

YESTER DAY I WANTED TO GO GET SOME BOBOTIE, BUT I DIDN'T HAVE TIME. SO TODAY, I'M GOING TO CAPE TOWN TO SEE WHERE IT ORIGINATED AND OF COURSE IT EAT. BABOTIE CAME FROM DIFFERENT FOODS FROM TRADERS. MORE IDEAS CAME FOM RELIGIONS, CULTURES, LANGUAGES, AND OF COURSE OTHER FOODS. IT CONSIST OF 1 POUND MINCED BEEF (COOKED), 1 LARGE ONION, 1 TABLESPOON OF BUTER, 1 SLICE BREAD SOAKED IN MILK, 1TALBESPOON OF CURRY PASTED OR CURRY POWDER, ½ A CUP OF COCONUT, JUICE FROM 1 LEMON, 2 TALBESPOONS OF VINEGAR, 1 TALBESPOON OF APRICOT JAM, 3 CUPS OF MILK, AND 3 EGGS.



# FREEDOM DAY

ALL THE PEOPLE ARE GETTING READY FOR FREEDOM DAY ON APRIL, 27. FREEDOM DAY IS ABOUT CELEBRATING THE DAY OF NON-RACIAL ELECTION IN 1994. SINCE 1652 BLACKS COULDN'T VOTE. SOUTH AFRICA REALLY NEVER WAS NEITHER DEMOCRATIC NOR INDEPENDENT EITHER. BUT I WON'T BE HERE WHEN THEY'RE CELEBRATING FREEDOM DAY.





# THE BIG PINEAPPLE

TODAY I VISITED THE BIG PINEAPPLE WHICH IS THE BIGGEST PINEAPPLE IN THE WORLD. THERE YOU CAN LEARN ABOUT THE HISTORY OF PINEAPPLES. IT IS IN BATHURST, AND IT STANDS 16.7m TALL WHICH IS THE SAME HEIGHT AS THREE FLOORS. IT'S MADE OUT OF FIBER GLASS, STEEL, AND CONCRETE. THE FIRST FLOOR IS A GIFT SHOP WITH GOODIES. IT WAS CROWDED ON THE FIRST FLOOR WITH PARENTS AND KIDS, WHEN I WENT.



# PETORIA ART MUSEUM

FOR MY LAST DAY, I WANTED TO GO SEE THE ART AT PETORIA ART MUSEUM. PETORIA ART MUSEUM OPENED IN 1964, AND IS THE CITY'S ONE AND ONLY FINE ARTS MUSUEM. I SAW SOME CLASSICAL AND TRADITIONAL AFRICAN ART. IT'S OPEN TO THE PUBLIC SO DROP BY, AND ASK FOR A TOUR GUIDE. THEY SUPPLY ACTIVITIES FOR THE YOUNG.

